

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Crowley et al.

Art Unit: 1624

Examiner: Jaisle, Cecilia M.

Intl. Appln. No.: PCT/GB03/005273

Conf. No. 8709

IA Filing Date: December 4, 2003

U.S. Appln No.: 10/540,040

§ 371 Date: June 22, 2005

For: Fungicides

Action: **PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Date: July 11, 2007

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

The Office Action of November 25, 2005 has a shortened statutory time set to expire on February 25, 2006. A three (3) month extension of time for filing a response is hereby requested pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136(a). Concurrently submitted herewith is the credit card information needed for payment of any fees associated with this paper. If you are unable to charge this payment to the credit card for any reason, please charge the required fees to Deposit Account No. 50-1676 in the name of Syngenta Crop Protection, Inc.

Respectfully submitted,

USPTO Customer No. 26748  
Syngenta Crop Protection, Inc.  
Patent and Trademark Dept.  
410 Swing Road  
Greensboro, NC 27409  
(336) 632-6049

/Rebecca A. Gegick/  
Rebecca A. Gegick  
Attorney for Applicants  
Reg. No. 51,724

Date: July 11, 2007